

FRANCE DECLARES FOR FIRM COURSE IN EUROPE

Lively Debate In House Over Fraser Bridge

Opposition Gains Trained on \$4,000,000 Project For New Westminster, Draw Reply From Minister of Public Works and Atlin Engineer; C.C.F. Member Seated When Refusing to Withdraw Insinuation; Yale Liberal Opposes Scheme

The Legislature heard five and one-half hours of strenuous debate yesterday on the New Westminster Bridge Bill and adjourned at 10.00 o'clock in the evening without having come to a decision on the second reading.

Twelve speakers in all took part during the day, including the Premier and Minister of Public Works, two Liberals and eight Opposition members.

Only one Liberal—Mr. J. J. Gillis, Yale—announced intention of deserting the government on the measure, but all Opposition speakers were firmly against it.

The debate wound up for the day in a spirited wrangle between R. E. Walsh, C.C.F. member, with government members, when Mr. Walsh refused to withdraw an insinuation that the public thought the government was giving the contract in return for campaign funds.

As a result of disagreement within the Liberal ranks over the measure, plans have already been made to make amendments which will limit the amount of interest paid on the bridge bonds to 5 per cent and also to write the hypothecation of tolls right into the face of the bonds. It is understood that this would mean objection of country members who are fearful the bridge will become a general charge on the treasury.

The big Opposition blast came during the afternoon, when two ex-ministers and Herbert Anscomb, Victoria, spoke.

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BRIDGE VOTE MAY BE TAKEN TO-MORROW

Vote on second reading of the Fraser River Bridge bill, most contentious piece of legislation now before the B.C. Legislature, is expected at to-morrow morning's session. A. M. Macphail, K.C., Liberal, will continue the debate at that time. The House is expected to deal with other measures.

The government proposes to go ahead with two minor amendments to the bill in committee, one limiting the amount of interest payable on the bridge bonds to 5 per cent and the other safeguarding against removal of the tolls in the future by hypothecating them to retirement of the bonds.

Says Railways Should Vacate

Province Could Fix Up Fraser Bridge at Little Cost, Claims R. W. Bruhn

Railways using the Fraser River Bridge at New Westminster could be forced to vacate on or three years' notice and the structure could then be altered to accommodate all automobile traffic, according to R. W. Bruhn, Independent, Salmo, B.C., former Minister of Public Works.

In an interview with The Times this morning, Mr. Bruhn said he had discussed the bill in committee with Mr. J. J. Macdonald, Minister of Railways, when the latter was in office.

The railways, he said, would have to get together to build a railway bridge for their own use further up the Fraser River.

This would leave both banks of the present bridge free for traffic. Only minor alterations would be necessary to provide all accommodation needed for auto traffic for years to come. The cost would be negligible.

Mr. Bruhn said this plan would obviate the need for spending \$4,000,000 on the proposed new bridge and would leave the government free to spend money on roads.

The fact that three years' notice must be given the railway companies would not occasion any delay because it would take that long to build the new bridge in any event.

Chinese to Serve Year in Prison

Vancouver, March 20.—Herman Ryman, Chinese, who pleaded guilty yesterday to stealing a police car from in front of the police station, was sentenced by Magistrate M. S. Wood to-day to one year in jail. Ryman pleaded in court that he had been charged with the theft the man had been discharged from prison, where he had served a sentence of eighteen months for the theft.

New Powers Act Going To House

Government Will Ask Legislature For Authority To Deal With Municipal Situation and Ottawa Developments; Not So Wide As 1934 SPA

The provincial government's 1935 Special Powers Act is expected to go to the Legislature some time to-day.

As already foreshadowed, the measure will not include the wide powers set out in the SPA which created such a storm of controversy last year.

However, in view of the need for dealing with matters from day to day, the government proposes to ask specific powers enabling it to deal with two particular situations; first, the Vancouver financial problem and that of other municipalities where emergency arises, and second, any measure thought necessary which may arise as a result of action at Ottawa.

The municipal clauses of the act are designed to enable the government to keep municipalities on their feet pending the full revision of their relationship with the government which has been promised for next year. Vancouver especially, and some of the other municipalities as well, claim they cannot survive the present year.

The government will therefore be empowered to deal with such situations as they occur.

On the Ottawa side, the government wishes the province to be in a position to take advantage of any changes that are made in the coming year. Marketing control, fair trade protection, and similar things come in this category, as well as the possibility of alterations in the financial relations as between the two governing bodies. With special powers under the act the government could proceed to implement action taken at Ottawa without having to wait for another session of the Legislature.

"It is a modified SPA," a government spokesman said this morning. "We are asking powers to deal with specific emergencies that may arise."

ARMY COSTS QUESTIONED

A. E. Ross Tells Commons Canada Needs Planes; Woodworth Speaks

Ottawa, March 20.—While European capitals buzzed with talk of war and new levies were being called to the colors, Canada's defence establishment underwent criticism in the House of Commons yesterday evening.

Two men of varying temperaments and ideas, one a hardened veteran who rose from private to brigadier-general and can cover his chest with decorations, the other a social reformer and a pacifist, attacked Canada's war preparations from somewhat the same angle.

J. B. Woodworth, labor member for Winnipeg North Centre, thought the \$15,000,000 being spent for national defence was a waste because it would not help to enable the country to protect itself if attacked.

Then came Brig.-Gen. A. E. Ross, M.D., Conservative member for Kingston, Ont., who served in the medical branch in the Great War and who claimed it was a waste of money to go on training cavalry and infantry forces.

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M. J. Insull To Go To Ontario

Chicago, March 20.—Martin Insull packed his baggage to-day preparatory to leaving to-morrow night for Ontario.

All charges against Martin and his older brother Arthur have now been dropped, but Martin faces deportation as he is still a British subject. The Insulls were born in England.

Great Losses In River Floods In U.S.



An impression of the extent of the floods in tributaries of the Mississippi is given by the above picture, taken a few days ago from a plane above the St. Francis River north of Keosau, Missouri.

Wide Open Prison Inquiry Is Urged By Miss MacPhail

Woman Member Tells Commons She Refuses to Accept Justice Minister's Clearing of Inspector J. D. Dawson of Her Charge

Ottawa, March 20.—A wide open investigation into penitentiary conditions was urged in the House of Commons to-day by Agnes MacPhail, Progressive, Northeast Grey, Ont.

The only woman member of the House returned to-day to her dispute with Minister of Justice Hugh Guthrie over Inspector J. D. Dawson of the penitentiary staff. She charged some days ago that Inspector Dawson had used "abusive and profane language" in relation to her during an interview with Prisoner 5093 in the Kingston penitentiary in April, 1934. Yesterday the minister said he could give Inspector Dawson's word of honor the charge was unfounded and that Miss MacPhail's name was not mentioned during the interview.

"May I say frankly I do not accept the word of Inspector Dawson?" Miss MacPhail said to-day. "I had been told that Inspector Dawson was a 'big game' man and a 'fool of himself in the House' and giving full details of the interview."

DENTISTS DROP APPEAL PLAN

Canadian Press
Vancouver, March 20.—Application for leave to appeal to the Supreme Court of Canada a case involving the School of Mechanical Dentistry Ltd. of Vancouver was withdrawn in the British Columbia Court of Appeal to-day by R. L. Maitland, counsel for the school.

The withdrawal follows an objection taken by Stuart Henderson, counsel for the School of Mechanical Dentistry, who contended that, as the case was of a criminal nature, the Supreme Court of Canada had no jurisdiction to hear it.



Notes of the Legislature

TO-MORROW
Three sessions on bills and resolutions.

YESTERDAY
Debate on second reading of the Fraser River Bridge Bill opened, totaling five and a half hours in the three sittings and was adjourned.

The following bills were read a third time:

Amendment to the Hindustani Act.
Amendment to the B.C. University Act.

The following bills were given second reading:

Consolidation of Motor Vehicle Act.
Food Control Act.
Cognitum T.B. Sanatorium Act.
Home for Mental Aged and Infirmed Act.
Amendment to Public Libraries Act.
Amendment to Vital Statistics Act.
Registered Nurses Act.

Amendment and Sale of Fruits Act.
Dairy Industry Act.
Amendment to Juvenile Courts Act.
Amendment to Industrial Homes for Girls Act.
Amendment to Industrial Homes Act.
Amendments to Insurance Act.
Prisoners' Refunding Bill.
In Committee:
The new revised Game Act.
The following bills were introduced:
Amendments to the Chiropractors Act.
An act validating a by-law of the district of Burnaby.
Amendments to the Denistat Act.
Amendments to the Economic Council Act.
Amendments to the Truck Act.
Amendments to the Town Planning Act.
Amendments to the Municipal Committee Act.
Amendments to the Municipal Elections Act.

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Flandin Is Given Vote of Confidence As He Directs Reply To German Moves

British to Join With French and Italians in Conference at Paris Before Sir John Simon Goes to Berlin to Talk With Hitler; "Peace of World Hangs in Balance," Premier Flandin Tells French Senate, Which Votes Confidence in His Government.

Eden to Share In Paris Conference

Canadian Press and Associated Press
London, March 20.—The cabinet to-day agreed to send Sir John Simon, Lord Privy Seal, to Paris Saturday for a conference with representatives of France and Italy on the subject of Germany's rearmament.

It was officially announced Mr. Eden would represent Great Britain, that Sir John Simon, Lord Privy Seal, would represent Italy, and that Sir John Simon, Lord Privy Seal, would represent Italy, and that Sir John Simon, Lord Privy Seal, would represent Italy.

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VOICES FRANCE'S ARMY CONFIDENCE



PREMIER FLANDIN

France Declared Ready For Defence

Canadian Press
Paris, March 20.—The French Senate to-night accorded the government of Premier Pierre Flandin a vote of confidence on its "policy of national security and the safeguarding of peace."

The vote was 268 to 21.

"The peace of the world is hanging in the balance," the Premier warned the Senate during the afternoon, referring to Germany's action last Saturday inaugurating compulsory military service in violation of the Versailles Treaty.

CONFIDENT OF STRENGTH
The Premier declared he had "complete confidence" in the country's fighting strength, and gave the crowded house a picture of the nation's air, land and sea forces.

"Our soldiers," he declared, "were filled with the same spirit of sacrifice in one of our emergencies as they were in 1914."

Replying to a friendly interpellation designed to give a vote of confidence, the Premier said Germany's action was a "violation of the duty to be vigilant as was stated in the British white paper."

"The facts made known about German rearmament have called for a long time. We were informed, and figures were even smaller than the reality."

"Shall we resign ourselves to German rearmament?" the Premier asked. "Shall we resign ourselves to what would be the betrayal of the Disarmament Conference?" France intends to continue her disarmament efforts through pact of mutual guarantees for security.

LONGER SERVICE TERM
Mr. Flandin defended the lengthening of French military service by decree as a "necessary measure" in the long debate.

He justified keeping the army at its old strength because of unsettled conditions, and declared "it was our duty to create 150,000 more men so it might be the proclamation of obligatory service in Germany."

END OF PEACE
"If the conception of Hitler's pre-eminence were covered by the world," Mr. Flandin said, "it would mark the destruction of peace founded on the League of Nations."

The Premier rejected the idea that Reichsmarshal Hitler was spurred to action by the British white paper, saying "Germany's twelve army corps and thirty-five divisions already existed. Moreover eight days earlier the official decision to create military aviation was made public."

JUDGMENT LONG AGO
The French Premier denied the assertion by Hitler in his description of the German people and given up their arms "after four and half years of a war they did not wish."

"The world," declared Mr. Flandin, "has long ago made judgment on responsibility for unleashing the war. The armistice was signed in 1918 because the coalition of peoples who were fighting for justice was victorious, and as it will be again in the future."

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BERLIN SEES AIR "ATTACK"

Imitation Bombe Roar, and Water and Gas Mains Broken

Associated Press
Berlin, March 20.—Cannon-cracker "bombs" and smoke-pots gave the German capital a realistic imitation of an enemy air raid to-day as Germany's newly created air fleet staged new manoeuvres.

Shortly after 9 a.m. bombing planes swooped low over the Kreuzberg district, south of the city centre where residents were warned to get out of the danger zone, or, failing that, to stay indoors out of harm's way. Even a cannon-cracker has its manoeuvres.

The imitation bombs were dropped into big piles of dirt in the streets. Smoke-pots were touched off on the roofs of buildings to give the picture of buildings on fire.

STREETS CLEARED
An area of twenty-two blocks was "hermetically sealed." The indoor markets were locked and the streets were cleared of traffic.

Two alarms announced the beginning of the demonstration to the assembled foreign military attaches, high officials of the German military police and others. Present were 10,000 members of the air protection formation, which included police, an anti-aircraft division, and squadrons of the services of the army, and squadrons of the navy.

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GERMANY SWEPT BY ENTHUSIASM

Associated Press
Berlin, March 20.—As word went forth that all German youths twenty-one years of age will be drafted for army service September 1, a wave of enthusiasm comparable only with that of the festive days of mobilization in the summer of 1914 swept the country.

That enthusiasm was bubbling over with joy apparent in a message broadcast by General Werner von Fritsch, Minister of Defence.

The September 1 date was officially disclosed yesterday.

HARLEM RIOT INJURES 100

N.Y. Negroes Smash Windows, Assault Whites, on Rumor Colored Boy Killed

Associated Press
New York, March 20.—Rioters raged through Harlem, largest negro settlement in the United States, throughout yesterday evening and early today, bringing injuries to at least 100, besides smashing store windows and looting them of their contents.

Seven hundred policemen, drawn from all parts of Manhattan, which includes Harlem, and from Brooklyn to the Bronx, broke up mob gatherings, but could not prevent guerrilla outbreaks. About 100 prisoners were booked at one station.

AGITATORS ACCUSED
Police officials charged agitators with inciting the negroes and white men of the area to violence by telling them employees of a store had killed a young negro who was caught pilfering a pocketknife.

In reality, the store manager had turned the boy loose although he had stolen the two pocketknives which he had caught him.

Not until 2 a.m. to-day—ten hours after the trouble began—could the rioters be dispersed.

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P.G.E. Conditions Worst Since 1916

Canadian Press
Montreal, March 20.—Mayor David Leeming of Victoria will take to the air to arrive in Montreal in time to attend the opening of the meeting of the Canadian mayors to discuss unemployment relief problems Monday.

Mayor Leeming intends to fly from Suite, Mont., where he has gone on business, to Niagara, N.Y., transferring to another airline for the hop to Montreal.

Mayor G. G. McOwen of Vancouver, Mayor J. A. Clarke of Edmonton and several western newspapermen are flying here from the Coast.

A letter was received here to-day from Mayor W. Chas. of Winnipeg, asking the conference consider the subjects of renewed immigration from Great Britain.

WAILING GROUPS SMASH WINDOWS

Associated Press
Shanghai, China, March 20.—"The wailing groups" is the newest thing in the form of anti-Japanese activities to make its appearance in Shanghai. Members of the society congregated in front of Chinese stores believed to be selling Japanese-made goods. They beat their breasts, sang and wailing, and then, once the windows of the stores and took to their heels to avoid the police.

At the opening of the hearing Mr. Wainwright declined to take letters on which his charges in the House had been based, despite a suggestion by the committee to this effect.

G. M. Connelley, conductor on the Metropolitan line, which went from Shanghai on January 10 to clear the line was called and described how, after getting to Williams Lake, the plough reversed for the run back and was held up at Mile 54 by a slide. While attempting to get through the

AUSTRIA TAKES CAUTIOUS COURSE

Associated Press
Vienna, March 20.—Despite a fever of interest in rearmament in southwestern Europe, the Austrian government to-day showed signs of an extremely cautious attitude in the matter.

Both Hungary and Bulgaria were regarded as looking to Austria for signs as to whether all the arms in the Great War should be built up their armaments but, although most of the Austrian government leaders have expressed desires for greater armed forces, thus far they have spoken only as individuals.

SOVIET ARMY MAY INCREASE

Canadian Press
Moscow, March 20.—The red army will be "increased ten times" necessary for the defence of the country in the face of what was termed Germany's preparation for war, the newspaper Pravda said to-day.

In the most emphatic utterance in Moscow since the start of the present tense European situation, the editorialist of the Pravda charged Great Britain with aiding the plans of Reichsmarshal Hitler by deserting France, Italy and other countries which wanted to co-ordinate their arms against the "German project to divide up Europe."

ST. LAWRENCE DISCUSSION
Montreal, March 20.—(Canadian Press)—From figures submitted to date it is evident the United States stands to gain at least five times as much as Canada does in the carrying out of the St. Lawrence deep waterway scheme. F. I. R. Macpherson, director of the Maritime Canal, Speaker, held a meeting of the Advisory Club of Montreal last night.

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Nanaimo Forms Tourist Branch

Representative Meeting in Eagles' Hall Endorses Island Tourist Development

Special to The Times
Nanaimo, March 20.—A branch of the Vancouver Island Tourist Association was formed here last night following a representative meeting of citizens in Eagles' Hall. Mayor Barnaby was elected chairman with power to appoint executive committee to be drafted on the same lines as the Victoria association. J. M. Smith, Harold Hueston and Bruce McKelvie of Victoria addressed the meeting. Mayor Barnaby told of the meeting in Victoria and said Victoria was

willing to co-operate with the island and it was to the interest of Nanaimo to get into the movement and form a branch in conjunction with other island communities. Mr. Smith said the presence of Mayor Barnaby at Victoria was a practical demonstration that Nanaimo desired to get behind the movement. The speaker told of the value of the tourist trade and why the island should become the greatest tourist resort in the northwest. He appealed for human tolerance. Mr. Hueston said unity was the keynote of the Victoria meeting. He pointed out that the tourist traffic could be increased with small expenditure. He told of the natural advantages of Vancouver Island. What was lacking was publicity and good roads. He pointed out the lack of good roads and the cutting down of trees. Mr. McKelvie had urged Nanaimo business men thirteen years ago to develop their natural tourist attractions but they had neglected to do so. He reminded the meeting of attractions interesting to tourists such as the historic Bastion, the Petroglyphs at Chase River, the Malaspina gallery of Indian carvings at Gabriola Island and the biological station at Departure Bay.

PREMIER IS IMPROVING

Sir George Perley Tells Government Caucus Mr. Bennett Will Be Up Next Week

Ottawa, March 20.—Encouraging news of Premier R. B. Bennett's condition was given his colleagues in the House of Commons to-day by Sir George Perley, at the first government caucus held since Mr. Bennett was taken ill February 24. The party supporters were told Mr. Bennett's physician told every member of the cabinet that he was completely restored to health and would resume his place in Parliament, providing he first completed the rest cure prescribed to-day.

The two week rest cure in bed ordered as the first stage in the Prime Minister's treatment will be concluded at the end of this week and will be followed by a period of convalescence. Next week it is understood Mr. Bennett will be permitted some light exercise, if his progress continues and shortly thereafter he will leave for a fortnight's stay at some southern health resort.

LEAGUE COUNCIL TO ACT AT ONCE

Geneva, March 20.—Immediate action will be taken by the League of Nations when it receives the French government's request for a special session of the League Council as a result of Germany's violation of the Treaty of Versailles, it was announced to-day.

As soon as the notice is received, French Foreign Minister and acting president of the council, will convene other council members and set a time for a meeting. It was pointed out that various clauses in the treaty give the League the right to examine whether Germany is violating its military clauses.

ARMY COSTS QUESTIONED

The government should build up a strong air force and an adequate modern navy with emphasis on submarines. He ridiculed Canada's present navy, two or three little cruisers we would have to build the little rocks as soon as any little trouble starts.

The C.C.F. leader was outspoken on the subject. He should be a plebiscite of the people before Canada entered a war and the United Kingdom should be told Canada was prepared to follow its lead blindly into a European campaign as it did in 1914, he said.

DEFENCE POLICY

The discussion arose on estimates of the Department of National Defence when Mr. Woodworth asked the minister, Hon. Orest Bracken, what Canada's defence policy was. Mr. Stirling replied it was the same as in the past—to maintain "a force in the three branches, army, navy and air services."

"Would Canada be able to defend the Pacific Coast in the event of an attack?" asked Mr. Woodworth.

"That would depend on the strength of the attack," replied Mr. Stirling. He added the forces available would be disposed as to do their best, but the question was too large to permit of an answer. Questioned further by Mr. Woodworth, the minister said he knew of no arrangements either the British or United States navy to come to Canada's assistance. He also said Canada's naval defence on the Pacific coast consisted of two destroyers and one mine-sweeper.

LOOKING BACKWARD

Countries always prepare for past wars and not future wars, said Brig.-Gen. Ross, who added he would like to see the abolition of future wars. The next war, however, would find air gunnery forces of more consequence than artillery, which was streamlined too much because of experience in the last.

He told the minister the proposed increase of \$700,000 in the estimates for the air force was entirely inadequate for the air force of the future. He said the army and navy would support a practical development of this weapon. Canada's military strength was all either obsolete or rapidly becoming so.

"If we are going to have defence," he said, "let us have it in two places, in the air and on the sea, and if we are to spend money let us spend it on something practical, modern and up-to-date."

DEFENCE OF CANADA

Cold A. Campbell, Liberal, Frontenac-Alexandria, Ont., the youngest member of the opposition, said he believed he could speak for young Canada. "The young Canadians," he said, "it again called upon to protect Canada, may be dependent on boys and girls, to do their utmost to protect her."

Humphrey Mitchell, Labor, Hamilton East, said Canada must make up its mind where it would stand in a Pacific war. Australia, he said, already had made up its mind. Canada was vulnerable on the West Coast, he believed.

SAYS INSPECTOR CLEAR OF CHARGE

Ottawa, March 20.—Minister of Justice Hugh O'Leary denied in the House of Commons yesterday afternoon that Inspector Dawson of the penitentiary staff had cast aspersions on the character of Miss Agnes MacPhail, Progressive, Southwestern Ont., during an interview with prisoners in the Kingston penitentiary last April.

Notre Dame Grid Star Passes Away

New York, March 20.—Joseph Sullivan, captain-coach of the 1934 Notre Dame football team, died in a New York hospital early to-day. He underwent two operations last Friday for cancer of the stomach, but without success. Numerous blood transfusions failed to aid him.

HARLEM RIOT INJURES 100

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Police find the boy to prove he was alive. Then he sat alone in a police station, indifferent to the hysteria which raged about him.

Harlem was a scene with shots, screams, cries of police cars, changing fire apparatus called out by numerous false alarms and the clamor of the rioters.

Windows shattered. Burning hands of negroes assaulted white persons or smashed windows and fled at the approach of policemen. Officers and detectives repeatedly fired into the air to disperse rioters and, in some cases, shot to death their men.

Two stores were set on fire. In each case the damage was confined to the premises.

"Let it burn," spectators shouted to firemen.

Seven men were shot and one was stabbed.

TWO IN CRITICAL STATE
Leon Quisenberry, thirty-four-year-old negro, was in a Harlem hospital to-day in a critical condition from a gunshot wound in his abdomen. An unidentified white man, charged with the shooting, was reported dying in the same hospital.

Several others were seriously hurt. Officials at the Harlem Hospital estimated some twenty had been treated about seventy victims.

Limo drivers, sixteen, were the youth about whom the storm raged. He freely admitted he had taken the knife and had bitten the hands of floorwalkers.

MOB ENTERS STORE
Police squads broke up the first crowd after it had milled through the block-deep store, doing considerable damage to property. A high time two white and two negro pickets appeared with placards reading "Klans brutally beats negro child."

That was the spark which started the evening disorders.

Windows in virtually every store on 124th and 125th Streets between Seventh and Eighth Avenues were smashed and from there the disorders spread.

At one place in the area an eyewitness saw a hole excavated in the middle of the street measuring nine feet in depth and eighteen feet across.

At another place a mob of about 100 men, armed with clubs and stones, flooded the streets sound and skillful workers were busy reconnecting the pipes with water hoses.

MAINS ARE BROKEN
From another and even larger hole one block away flames thirty feet high roared out of gaspipes and street lamps, apparently broken for the rioters.

In asbestos suits and equipped with gas masks went after the flames and extinguished them in exactly six minutes.

Wearing complete outfits of rubber suits and gas masks, an anti-gas squad drove a water wagon into a street, pouring water where a non-combatant was being held.

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GYPSUM QUEEN TRIAL SOON

Capt. F. Hatfield to Be Extrajudicially From U.S. to Canada

Associated Press
Manchester, N.H., March 20.—United States Commissioner Charles D. Barnard to-day announced a finding against Captain Freeman Hatfield, whose extradition has been sought by the Canadian government to answer charges of defrauding the Dominion of \$1,000 in war reparations claims in connection with the sinking of the schooner Gypsum Queen off Ireland July 31, 1915.

Commissioner Barnard said he would recommend extradition of Captain Hatfield.

That to-day's proceedings marked the end of a chapter, and not of the entire case, was indicated by Alvin J. Conner, chief of defense counsel, who announced he would ask writs of certiorari and habeas corpus to be granted.

The habeas corpus writ would necessitate the further detaining of Capt. Hatfield in this country, and the writ of certiorari would necessitate a review of the proceedings before the commissioner by the federal court.

A civil action against Captain Hatfield and Senator H. J. Logan, R.C., of Portsmouth, N.H., in the Superior Court of Canada for recovery of the \$71,000 was heard some time ago. The judgment in this case is pending.

BERLIN SEES AIR "ATTACK"

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of electric, gas and water service workers.

Canon-crackers exploded as indications that houses had been dropped after the Von Richthofen Squadron had flown back and forth over the streets.

AUTO SET ON FIRE
Suddenly fire was set to an automobile parked in a street for demonstration purposes.

Some roofs of various apartments, marked by red flags, quickly showed black smoke colorfully mixed with red and yellow, indicating they were on fire.

Fire trucks sounding bells and sirens dashed to the scene and threw up escape ladders for the high while streams of water were played against the building.

SMOKE SCREEN
At once a smoke screen was thrown into the street to serve as "protection" for the rioters.

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Eden to Share In Paris Conference

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wanted to arrange the list of questions through regular diplomatic channels so that there would be less chance of causing any new difficulties with Germany, before the scheduled conversations in Berlin.

Another tri-power conference after Sir John and Mr. Eden return from their trips is under consideration, official quarters stated, but nothing has yet been decided regarding it.

TO FLY HOME
Eden plans to fly back from Paris Saturday after the tri-power conference and to come here when Sir John before they both start for Berlin Sunday.

It was rumored that Gen. Joachim von Ribbentrop, Hitler's diplomatic expert, was here on a scouting mission, but both British and German quarters said they had not seen him and were unable to confirm the rumor.

EXPLORATORY TRIPS
Sir John, in the House of Commons, described the forthcoming visits to Berlin and Moscow "purely exploratory."

The Foreign Secretary gave this definition in reply to an invitation by Dudley J. Cook, Conservative, that he give assurance that parliament would not be committed without its prior knowledge to any possible modification of the Treaty of Versailles.

Mr. Eden himself said the Russian conversations would be mainly concerned with questions arising from the political situation in Europe, in saying that he did not anticipate discussion of Russia's national and private debts owed to Britain.

The cabinet's decision was made at its regular Wednesday session.

FIRM COURSE
Great Britain will deal firmly with Reichsfuehrer Hitler, it was indicated by Sir John, who was in London before he left for Berlin Monday on Germany's promises or guarantees for the future peace of Europe.

The British were surprised by the French and Italian reaction to their note, being convinced the changed situation resulting from Hitler's unexpected declaration anticipated the form of language employed.

They believed Germany's favorable reply, indicating willingness to go through with the Berlin treaty as a measure possible—drawn up by a committee of experts—was a demonstration that Great Britain's diplomacy in this instance was exactly what the situation required.

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but the conventions will be limited to political discussions.

"No longer, for instance, can issues be secluded by, say, British saying, 'If you will accept an eastern pact, we shall concede you such and such an army and if you accept a Danubian pact, you can have such and such armaments.'"

"All this is a thing of the past. Germany has herself decided what kind of a military force she will have and Sir John coming here can only make a statement of her intentions from that fact."

Spectacular aerial manoeuvres over Berlin yesterday evening gave substance to the Reich's claims that it is now a military power to be reckoned with.

P.G.E. CONDITIONS WORST SINCE 1916

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The line on the worst since 1916. The tie-up in 1916 was two or three months; this year it was only ten days.

In reply to questions Mr. Connelley said he did not think the tie-up was due to any lack of judgment or lack of efficiency on the part of the operating officials.

Twelve members of the P.G.E. train crew were her for the inquiry which may last for some days.

Did Best Possible
R. H. McCormick, chief dispatcher, F. R. Buckley, engineer, and R. H. Connelley, locomotive, other witnesses this morning, were asked what the line could not have been kept open in the unprecedented weather conditions, and everything possible had been done with the available equipment.

After they had finished, G. M. Murray, Liberal, Lillooet, asked what was the use of continuing with a post-mortem of the storm. He thought the inquiry would be pursued until all witnesses required by Mr. Which had been called, and he had been fully satisfied.

The hearing was then adjourned to 9 o'clock to-morrow morning.

W. E. Roberts, a railroad man, was advising Mr. Which, and J. B. Nicholson, Vancouver, appeared for the company and the men.

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Princes Among Soviet Arrests

Ex-Noblemen and Czarist Officers Form Most of 1,074 in Custody

Moscow, March 20.—Soviet authorities today had in custody 1,074 members of the old aristocracy and old moneyed class. Some of them, it was said, will be tried for "activities against the state in behalf of foreign countries," while the rest will be sent to the eastern reaches of the Soviet Union.

While no names were made public

after the people yesterday, the communists for domestic affairs revealed that forty-one of those detained were former nobles, while thirty-two were former officers in the Czarist government. Of the others, 467 were generals or other high officers in the army of the old regime. All were taken into custody at Leningrad.

The terms communicated given out in Moscow gave no details of the charges of subversive activity brought against some of those arrested, nor did it mention the names of the foreign countries alleged to be involved.

FOR TABLES IN BRITAIN

Dalton, Manchester, March 20 (Canadian Press).—A shipment of 20,000 from north Manchurian pheasants left here this week, consigned to a firm in London. The pheasants were bought from native hunters for an average of about 15 cents each, Canadian money. In London they sell at the equivalent of about \$2.50 each.

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Discuss Alaska Highway Scheme

George Murray and W. J. Ascelstine, Members of Legislature, Go to Seattle

Seattle, March 20.—Ways and means of speeding plans for construction of the proposed \$14,000,000 British Columbia-Tukon-Alaska Highway were dealt with at a round table conference at Seattle Chamber of Commerce when W. J. Ascelstine, M.P.P. for Atlin, and George M. Murray, M.P.P. for Lillooet, were in attendance.

The British Columbia delegates, representatives of two of the important districts through which the highway will pass, met the Alaska committee of the Chamber of Commerce, composed of business executives of Seattle, interested in Alaska commerce and shipping.

Official communications from Washington, D.C., presented at the conference stated that the actual work on the Tukon-Alaska section would be launched at once. The U.S. Government has voted \$2,000,000 for this work and has set aside a further \$100,000 for surveys and negotiations with respect to extension of the first link, following satisfactory negotiations with the Canadian Government.

WOULD PROVIDE MUCH WORK

In a joint statement following the conference the Canadian delegates said:

"Construction of our portion of the new northern highway should provide employment for thousands of our citizens for at least a five-year period on the road itself.

"The project should put to work every idle piece of roadbuilding equipment in our province.

"It should provide a market at once for surplus farm products in Lillooet, Cariboo, Omineca and Skeena districts. The communities would experience once more the construction activity of the days when the Grand Trunk Pacific was being built.

"We could use hundreds of teams of horses, all available trucks and tractors on the Hamilton-Atlin section.

"We could employ a small army of woodmen, carpenters and builders on camp construction immediately we can get under way with our portion of this highway.

"Construction of the road would open the golden empire of the north to prospectors, homesteaders, investors, big game hunters, fishermen and tourists.

"Anyone who has experienced the thrill of new development in mining in the Bridge River, Cariboo and Atlin countries, can visualize the immense movement forward in mining development which it would be possible for the public work to proceed by motor into the very heart of the richest portion of the great Cordilleran mineral belt.

"We believed that central and northern British Columbia were 100 per cent in favor of an early start on the Canadian section.

"We were authorized by Boards of Trade and other bodies to communicate this information, and we were authorized in securing the citizens of Washington and of Alaska that the entire northwest region, on both sides of the international boundary, is in co-operation to the end that there might be opened up to the people this last undeveloped region on the North American continent.

Seattle papers yesterday carried dispatches from Washington of interest to northern British Columbia. A colonization project has been launched to transplant 200 families to forty-acre farms in the Mantauk Valley. This will be the first step in a colonization plan to establish between 20,000 and 40,000 citizens on farm lands for north of the British Columbia border within the territory of Alaska.

Construction of the highway would open hundreds of northern valleys within British Columbia to communication with the outside world and encourage development which might establish as large a population for this province north of Prince George as now exists in the old settled areas of the south of the province.

RELOCATE HIGHWAY

While 885 miles of new highway would be built within British Columbia, it would be necessary, in order to handle the volume of new traffic which would be created to relocate and rebuild much of the Cariboo Road was relocated.

In event of a hard-surfacing program being carried out by the British Columbia government on the historic old road, relocation in some instances would be necessary, since the road at present follows the original ancient pack trail, where diversions were made to avoid stumps, trees and rocks. The new highway when completed would follow almost a new line across the old Cariboo area from Hamilton to the north, the country has been partially surveyed by the British Columbia government.

FEDERAL PROJECT

The new northern route would complete in the western world a major highway system which starts at Buenos Aires and would then continue northward through South and North America to Alaska.

Seattle and Vancouver would benefit greatly from construction of the new traffic artery, but interior British Columbia and Washington towns and cities would also benefit because the short route from eastern and middle west points would be through the Kootenay or Okanagan countries.

While the province of British Columbia may not be in a position to finance the Canadian section of the highway on its own account, one opinion is that the Dominion of Canada may take the plan up as a national project.

NEW AIR BASE NEAR HONOLULU

Honolulu, March 20.—Major Gen. Hugh E. Drum yesterday forecast that construction of a new \$10,000,000 air base at Fort Kamehameha, near Honolulu, would begin before the end of this summer. He arrived to take command of the Hawaiian department.

Ask Continuance Of Physical Recreation

Nanaimo, March 20.—Nanaimo council Monday night decided to request the Minister of Education that the physical recreation centre in Nanaimo be carried on for another month. The centre has 166 youths enrolled. The decision of the council was made on receipt of a communication stating the centre would close March 28. The school board presented estimates for the school year amounting to \$64,528. A request from the secretary of the Nanaimo District Workers' Association asking that unemployed property owners be allowed to work off their taxes was

laid on the table until the next meeting. A similar request was received regarding poll taxes.

COLONIZATION PLAN

Quebec, March 20 (Canadian Press).—The government's \$10,000,000 plan, to promote colonization and return to the land, received third reading by a 41 to 6 vote in the Quebec Legislative Assembly yesterday.

ESTIMATES ARE VOTED

Ottawa, March 20.—Discussion of national defence estimates delayed progress in the House of Commons yesterday evening. One time for that department was called, but did not pass. The House, however, voted \$7,789,486 for the departments of Trade and Commerce and Insurance. The largest single item was that for subsidizing 5 to 6 shipbuilding services, amounting to \$2,122,250.

LEGATIONS' COST REPORTED TO M.P.'S

Ottawa, March 20.—Canada's legations in France and Japan cost the Dominion Government \$670,744 during the four years from January 31, 1931, to January 31, 1935. The total cost of the Paris legation was \$942,223 and the Japan legation \$228,522. The information was tabled in the House of Commons yesterday by Sir George Perley, acting government leader.

Hon. Philippe Roy, Canadian Minister to France, received during the four-year period for salary, allowances and travel, \$90,554.

Hon. Herbert Marier, Canadian Minister to Japan, received for salary, allowances and travel, during the four-year period, \$101,901, and expenditures for entertainment were paid from the allowances contained in that figure.

PROPOSE TO TAX RAILWAY LANDS

Winnipeg, March 20.—The city council is moving to tax railway property within the city limits, at present exempt, and increase revenues by an estimated \$400,000 annually.

The council, which this week voted 8 to 6 in favor of proposed legislation, is requesting the Manitoba Legislature to change the Railway Taxation Act and the Winnipeg charter to give the council authority to remove railway property from the exempt list.

Opposition was based principally on a fifty-three-year-old agreement with the Canadian Pacific Railway which exempted the railway from payment of realty taxes for all time.

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MAN ACQUITTED OF OLD CHARGE

Associated Press

Leeds, Eng., March 20.—Henry Ross, accused of kidnapping four-year-old John William Whitmore in England thirty-one years ago and taking him to the United States, was acquitted by a jury yesterday at the court's direction.

In a trembling voice, white-haired Ross pleaded not guilty. The prosecution offered no evidence.

Authorities quoted Ross as saying the boy's mother told him he was the father. She denied saying this. A warrant for the arrest of Ross was issued in 1904, but was not served until last January. Ross returned to England in 1922.

Mr. Justice Atkinson remarked: "This thing thirty years old. It is something which did nobody any harm as far as I can see."

THEROS BOMB AWAY

Elyria, Ohio, March 20 (Associated Press).—While a crowd of 800 watched, a policeman grabbed a spitting dynamite bomb yesterday evening and hurled it away from the plant of Steel and Tube Inc., where a strike is in progress. Scores of plant windows were broken as the dynamite exploded in a ditch fifty feet away from the plant. It had been found on a window ledge by Patrolman Myron Gibson.

Chinese Soldiers Aiding Farmers

Associated Press

Shanghai, China, March 20.—Chinese soldiers, for decades held to be the scourge of the countryside, are to become public benefactors in the area in Kiang province from which the Communists' armies have recently been driven. Gen. Chiang Kai-shek has issued orders under which his soldiers must assist the farmers in ploughing their fields. Rewards will be given averaging \$5 (\$5 Canadian) for every five acres so tilled.

BODY OF MAN IS FOUND IN SWAMP

Associated Press

Seattle, March 20.—Apparently the victim of a brutal murder, the badly injured, mutilated body of Warren E. Pomeroy, former Seattle cigar store clerk, was found late yesterday by city fishers in a wooded swamp near the Maplewood Golf Course, fourteen miles south of here.

The severed head was lying near the feet. Coroner Otto Mikkelsen reported. Both arms were missing.

The man, identified through a membership card in an Elks lodge here, had been dead for possibly three months, the coroner said. He had disappeared here last November 17 from a hotel in which he was living.

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How Does Your Garden Grow?

Flowers from Bulbs—Gladioli, Tulips, Narcissus and Many Others Offer Variety of Beauty to Your Garden

This is the eighth of twelve daily articles on gardening written by experts for The Times.

By ANNE C. McLEAN

Some of our most beautiful garden plants are those grown from bulbs to flower in summer and autumn.

The gladiolus is probably more universally planted than any other summer flowering bulb. "Gladioli" are adaptable to practically all parts of Canada and do well in nearly all types of soil. Tulips should not be planted from planting gladioli, for these tiny plant life can be controlled by treating the bulb with naphthalene and spraying during the summer.



The parrot narcissus, shown above, is a very attractive species, as the leaves are slender and the flowers are gracefully borne on slender stems. It is useful in the border, but is particularly striking when allowed to naturalize in drifts at the margin of the lawn, or near a body of water.

When bulbous plants are naturalized, this should be done where the grass can be left unmown until the leaves have matured. If the leaves of narcissus and other bulbous plants are cut while green, there may be no bloom the following year.

Another summer bulb is the tuber rose. It is one of the most fragrant flowers and well adapted for cutting.

Do not plant tuber roses until the ground becomes warm, and dig up the bulbs before frost in the fall, for the bulbs form their flower buds a year before they bloom and, if chilled, the buds are killed inside the bulb.

Nothing will add more dignified beauty to your garden than well-grown tulips.

The cottage tulip Mrs. Moon, at right, is one of a type that blooms in May. These tulips usually have more pointed petals than the Darwin and are apt to be more permanent in the garden.

Tulips, because of their size of bloom and generally spectacular nature, should be planted in groups, preferably of one color, to be effective. A tulip planted alone appears desolate. Dahlias furnish one of the most showy garden plants for fall as well as some of the best available cut flower material. They should be planted for fall growth. They will make excellent progress on a well-drained, rather light soil.

The canna really is a tropical plant and needs plenty of warmth. Many cannae used to be used in America for bedding, especially for large formal beds, but now seldom use them for bedding decoration and are different corners of the garden, where they are particularly effective.

All these and other bulbs or roots can be kept from year to year if you will use ordinary common sense in storing them over the winter.



New Insurance Measure Down

Many Changes in B.C. Statute Proposed Under Bill in House

Amendments to the B.C. Insurance Act which will modernize the statute and bring into effect changes which have been agreed upon by all the provinces of Canada were introduced by Attorney-General Gordon and given second reading.

Provision is made for the government to put into effect many of the changes at a date to be agreed upon among other provinces so that all insurance legislation in the Dominion will be uniform.

New clauses include a provision that will place adopted children and adopting parents in the class of preferred beneficiaries under life insurance policies.

A change in the definition of fraternal societies permits payments to members as well as their beneficiaries.

The clause covering cases of suicide is cleared up to specify that where a policy shall be void if suicide occurs within a certain time, this shall also apply on a reinstated policy, dating from the time of reinstatement.

Full powers are conferred on a child reaching the age of fifteen years to take out a life insurance policy on his own behalf or to deal with his interest in a contract of insurance on another person.

One new section gives insurance companies the authority to apply surplus or profits on policies towards keeping insurance in force.

New regulations applying to how insurance money must be paid are proposed, replacing the old clause which merely specifies "in lawful money of Canada."

The new clause provides the money is payable in the province in which an insured was living at the time of death or at the time the money is payable, and "lawful money of Canada" is specified to mean currency of Canada. Payment may be made in other than Canadian currency only if the contract provides for this.

Payment of policies to persons residing outside Canada is facilitated under the bill.

Another section gives a claimant under a policy the right to apply for a declaration of presumption of death of an insured person. At present only the insurance company had this right.

AUTO INSURANCE

Amendments dealing with auto-

mobile insurances are also to bring the legislation in line with uniform rules across Canada. Power is vested in the superintendent of insurance to approve special and limited forms of policy, such as in the case of a reckless son being forbidden to drive his father's car if insurance is to hold.

A change is made to overcome an absurdity in the present act which makes the prohibition against a person driving while intoxicated applicable only to persons driving with the consent of the insured but not to the insured himself. It provides an insured shall not drive a car while intoxicated or under influence of drugs, where he is temporarily unqualified to drive, where he is engaged in an illicit or prohibited trade or in a race speed test, nor shall he allow any other person to use his car under these conditions.

Another amendment is designed to eliminate collision in family elms and "keep down the cost of insurance."

The meeting unanimously approved the proposal.

The meeting also endorsed a resolution disapproving present administration of the health department and advocating several changes among which was the removal of the health officer and the filling of the position by application.

Action of the municipal council in setting aside a proposed park site for a school location at Cadboro Bay was approved. Other business included a decision to have members of the Legislature address future ward meetings.

TRADES COUNCIL OPPOSED

Vancouver, March 20 (Canadian Press)—The Vancouver and New Westminster District Trades and Labor Council yesterday evening went on record as opposed to the proposed Fraser River toll bridge at New Westminster.

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Strap Shoes in brown calf and patent leather; and

Oxfords in brown or black calf and patent leather.

Sizes 5 to 7½, pair **\$2.45**

Sizes 8 to 10½, pair **\$2.95**

Sizes 11 to 2, pair **\$3.75**

White Buck Strap Shoes, sizes 5 to 7½ **\$2.75**

Pussyfoot Babies' Shoes in patent leather or

Brown Kid Straps and Patent Oxfords. Sizes 2

to 6 years. A pair **\$1.50**

Pussyfoot White Buck Straps, sizes 2 to 6 **\$1.75**

—Children's Shoes, First Floor

Another Collection of Fashionable Spring

Dresses

Possessing All the Merits of Newer Styling and Great Values at

\$16.95

These newer-style Dresses possess a color brightness in new prints and colors and with a new style interest in lines and trimmings.

You have a choice of one-piece styles and a number of jacket styles with printed crepe blouses. All popular shades in the selection, including navy and black. Sizes 14 to 44.

—Mention, First Floor

STRIPED AND NOVELTY

PULLOVERS FOR SPORTS-WEAR!

A New Shipment

\$1.75 and \$1.95

All the latest fashions in Sports Pullovers—Polo Shirts, Turtle-neck Sweaters and snappy Striped Pullovers with "wheel and anchor" insignia. All of exceedingly fine wool—a good weight for spring and summer. Short-sleeved styles. Sizes 34 to 40.

—Sweaters, First Floor

Smarter Styles and High-grade Woolen Fabrics Combine to Make

Spenceria SUITS

A Leader in Men's Clothing at

\$22.50

You have in Spenceria Suits a choice from a great assortment of fine woolens. Shown in spring and ever popular darker shades.

TWEEDS, WORSTEDS AND SERGES

These materials are fashioned in the newest models by master designers and tailors. All the newer standard models and smarter styles for young men, including

THE DURBAR, THE BI-SWING AND THE POPULAR "HOLLYWOOD"

Men who appreciate a Suit that will make their associates admiringly say, "Tell me, where did you buy it?" You'll find just such a Suit in a Spenceria. Men who like their Suits correctly cut and correctly fitted, well within the bounds of good taste, will find their ideal in a Spenceria. Let your spring Suit bear the name Spenceria on the label.

—Men's Clothing, Main Floor

A New Albion Oxford for Men at \$7.50

A Lightweight Custom-built Oxford on a smart "recede" toe last. Shown in black or brown calfskin in all fittings. Also twenty other styles for town or country, in these famous English Shoes, at, per pair **\$7.50**

—Men's Shoes, Main Floor

SILK LASTEX

IS A NEW FEATURE IN THESE

"Formfit" Girdles

It's a real innovation when a maker puts such a high-priced fabric in such a reasonably priced garment. But that's what Formfit has done this time. See these Semi-step-in Girdles of silk lastex with satin panel front and the new "flat" garters. A smooth foundation at a smooth price **\$5.50**

Another Formfit model of strong two-way-stretch elastic features the high waistline and long hip. Semi-step-in style at **\$5.50**

—Corsets, First Floor

Lawn Fencing and Poultry Netting

In All Sizes

Lawn Fencing, 30 inches wide, a foot **13¢**

Lawn Fencing, 36 inches wide, a foot **15¢**

This Lawn Fencing has a double loop and is made of 9-gauge wire.

Gates to match, 36-inch by 3 feet **\$3.95**

Gates to match, 42-inch by 3 feet **\$4.50**

Poultry Netting, with a 2-inch mesh. In 50-yard rolls:

12 inches wide, a roll **\$1.65**

18 inches wide, a roll **\$2.25**

24 inches wide, a roll **\$2.75**

30 inches wide, a roll **\$3.35**

36 inches wide, a roll **\$3.75**

48 inches wide, a roll **\$4.95**

60 inches wide, a roll **\$5.95**

72 inches wide, a roll **\$7.10**

Also ½ and 1-inch mesh in various widths.

—Hardware, Lower Main Floor

DAVID SPENCER LIMITED

The Way Beyond

By JEFFERY FARNOL

"But... confused it all—"
"Yes, indeed, Peter you have con-
founded all beyond recovery. Rich-
ard will never marry Rosemond Ber-
ley now."

"Great heavens!" exclaimed Sir
Peter, a little wildly. "Did I not
agree that Rosemond is altogether
suited and an exceptional match?
Didn't we?"

"We did, Peter, but Richard didn't
and—won't!"

"And why not, pray?"

"Because he is our son—"
"Exactly! And shall therefore obey
us. There is such a virtue as filial
piety, a son's duty to his parents and
I am his father—"

"Oh, dear heart," sighed Charmian
dearly. "That's what troubles me—"

"But troubles you?" Sir Peter
nearly gasped.

"Yes, Peter. Because, you see,
Richard is so dreadfully like—both of
us. And you were always so fright-
fully dogged, so severely, unshakable,
so sedately determined and politely
unapproachable. And I, though
tenderly mild, Peter, and so very
sweetly meek and gentle, am not al-
together destitute of a quite ferocious
will—"

"Here Sir Peter chuckled
loudly and called long arm about
the lovely speaker.

"You," he laughed. "On my soul,
you are as meek as a thunderstorm
and as fierce as a dove—as gentle as
a viper—"

"But resolve as you are, Peter, so
it is only to be expected our Richard
must be determined as you and wil-
ful as I am, to choose his own course
and pursue it fearless of conse-
quences—"

"Hum!" quoth Sir Peter, frowning.
"However, he shall not thwart our
wishes—"

"Oh, he won't, my dear, he won't,"
said Charmian, "you see I have
changed my mind—"

"You changed your mind? How...
why?" said Sir Peter in bewilder-
ment.

"Oh, about Rosemond Berley. I
am sure she is not the wife for Rich-
ard, entirely unsuited in every
way, Peter—"

"Not the wife... unsuited—"
"Perfectly, Peter—"

"But... but, good Heaven, it was
you suggested—"

"Well, I've changed my mind—"
"Amazing!" he exclaimed. "Amaz-
ing!"

"But, Peter, dear, and as for
Richard, soon he will be of age and
must inherit all Sir Richard Anstru-
ter's money... he will be a rich
man, in one little year, Peter—"

"None the less, Charmian, so long
as I am his father—" Sir Peter arose
and, becoming his steepest self, held
forth at some length and in what
Charmian called a silver chasteleau
belled about her frame.

"What are ye here?" she de-
manded. "Now what I'll ask the
lady to go—"

"Sir Peter, I wonder that
Charmian, and touching his hat
again, rode away.

"Now I wonder," quoth Sir Peter,
scowling at the letter, "I wonder that
Charmian can be writing about!"

"Probably something unbecom-
ing," sighed Charmian, "that hateful
ring of the letter, I wonder that
Charmian can be writing about!"

"Sir Peter nodded.
"The letter," he said, "is from
Charmian—"

"But he has a very bad name,
Peter, and he is a poacher, isn't he?"
"Undoubtedly! But then so were
used to eat lady's rabbit's ears,
rabbits, you and I, my dear—"

"Those dear, wonderful days!"
sighed Charmian. "Our little cottage
in the hollow, Peter—"

"Ay," moaned Miss Janet, "you
were making love to your Peterman
and I in London break my purr heart
and cannot get any—"

"But I didn't make love to my
Peterman, Janet, or at least I did
he was quite too deaf and blind and
never any or heard until he had to—"
"Had to," quoth Sir Peter, rub-

bing his chin. "I fear I don't ap-
prehend—"

"Well then, Peter, until your love
for me and Rosemond's cousin, you
drive you fairly mad, my poor dear,
and then of course I had to flout
my love in your face and—marry you—"

"And upon my soul," sighed Sir
Peter, "that was a pretty grim fight,
a truly, desperate encounter—a splen-
did man was George... poor old
fellow... so lovely, so dainty—"

"And wrote so beautifully
me!" sighed Charmian. "So beau-
tifully, and some of it very nearly true—"
"It was all true, Charmian, if you
allude to the Broad Highway, I was
with a youthful pen and from a fit
heart, and with the utmost sincerity
you—it was all true—"

"Oh, but, Peter, I was never such a
sugary prude as you described me
I mean when you lay bleeding in my
arms almost battered to death after
your fight with Black George. Why,
I kissed you back to life, Peter, and
told you I loved you. And yet when
you wrote of it you made me such a
hateful wretch that I will always
sorely to tear out that page whenever
I read it, oh you make me quite a
loathsome creature!"

"Surely not my dear—"
"But you do say, 'Pray have you
designed to read my novel since you
wrote it... just before we were
married, have you?'—"

"Only once, a great while ago—"
"But when you lay there between
life and death, first—according to
my eyes—'soured you with vir-
gin shame' (how frightful!) then
you make me say, 'And I thought Mr.
Vibart was a man of honor, like a
knight of old-time romance, high and
chivalrous—such dithering nonsense,
Peter, and you only just kissed back
to life—'"

"I only wrote as I remembered,
Charmian dear—"

"Then your memory was entirely
wrong. But my memory for that
awful blow on the head quite de-
ranged you for a time, you were ill
and strange for a long while—"

"However, my Charmian, you did
bring me to life, a greater and
better life than I had ever dreamed—"
"For that, of course, I must kiss
you," she laughed yet with a glow
in her eyes, and so forthwith—"

"And anyway I love the book for
your sake, Peter. It describes me
very perfectly on all the other novel-
ists, and Janet calls it a lovely novel, isn't
it, Janet?"

"Aweel," answered Miss Janet,
jingling, "though it might be just
paired off, I like it very well... here
comes another—"

"Someday, Peter, I want you to
write me another book about our
Richard and you and me, of course,
and Janet calls it a lovely novel, isn't
it, Janet?"

"Heaven forbid!" he answered,
fervently.

(To Be Continued)

EMANCIPATOR'S STRUGGLE TOLD

Dean Quainton Tells Story of Wilberforce's Battle Against Slavery

The struggle waged by William Wilberforce against slavery during the latter part of the eighteenth and the early years of the nineteenth century, as told by Dean C. S. Quainton in his new book, "The Emancipator's Struggle," is the story of a man who, in the face of a world of opposition, fought for the freedom of his fellow men.

In the days of Wilberforce slavery was recognized as a respected business which even King George III regarded as a national and spiritual institution, he said. In 1772, there were 14,000 black slaves in England brought from the colonies for domestic use.

Colonial planters contended they could not carry on without slaves and that Great Britain's safety almost de-
pendent upon the maintenance of
slavery.

Wilberforce began his active cam-
paign against slavery after re-entering
politics in 1780, following his conver-
sion to Christianity. It was through his
efforts that the House of Commons
first voted 228 to 85 against slavery in 1792.

In 1806 the Coalition Cabinet had
unanimously voted for the abolition
of the slave trade, and a year
later a bill declaring slave trade un-
lawful was passed.

Wilberforce, however, before the final blow
to slavery was given, when, in 1833
the House of Commons first voted 228 to 85
against slavery in 1792.

Wilberforce died four years after
seeing abolition favored and within
a year of his death the colonies were
given £20,000,000 to compensate for
the liberation of 1,000,000 blacks, he
said.

The dean noted there were still 5-
600,000 slaves in the world, he said,
and a special committee of the League of
Nations had pledged of forty nations
that something would be done to-
wards liberation.

POOR PA

BY CLAUDE CALLAN

"Ma says I don't kiss her
goodbye every mornin' like I
used to, but it's her own
fault. She gets my mind off
of kissin' her by askin' me
for money when I'm leav-
in'."

The "common" said to the real
Public Enemy No. 1. If you
could catch him, it is impossible.
Take George's Laxative Bromo
Quinine. George's has what it
takes to stay that quick and
sure. Ask for George's. They're in a
white box.

George's LAXATIVE
BROMOQUININE

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SYNCHRONIZES BY PHONE



Allen MacKenzie Head, organist on the Sunday "Atlantic Neptune" and other Canadian Radio Commission programs plays with the orchestra largely in spirit. His pipe organ is eight floors away from the studio in which the programmes originate. The camera caught him in character-
istic pose. He made music with one hand and both feet, discussed tem-
peratures with the control room by phone, and synchronized his playing
with the orchestra by means of a head set.

ON THE AIR

The majority of modern radio receiv-
ing sets are calibrated in kilocycles, as
printed underneath the name of each
station in these programmes. Con-
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resenting the band between 540 and
1,500 kilocycles.

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8:00—Timely Topics—Dr. Clem Davies.
8:30—All-star Vocalists.
9:00—Let's Go Places with Eric Marshall.
9:30—Morning News.
10:00—The Concert Album.
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LIVELY DEBATE IN HOUSE OVER FRASER BRIDGE

(Continued from Page 1)

R. W. BRUHN
R. W. Bruhn, Independent, Salmon
Arm, former Minister of Public Works,
agent for the Fraser River bridge,
said he had nothing to do with the
bill, "referred the Premier."

"I was simply giving the House the
information," said the Premier.
While the company would get com-
mission on only \$2,000,000, the bill
provided for borrowing up to
\$4,000,000, he said. In other words,
there was \$2,000,000 to come and go.

"The bigger reason to be in Section
Seven, which provides for payment of
all preliminary expenses and so forth,"
he said. "Does this include an amount
for the Westernmost Columbia for the
time and printer's ink used in
boosting this enterprise and demanding
all other projects?"

COST OF FLOATING LOAN
He noticed, also, that the \$4,000,000
loan, after commissions and every-
thing else was paid it would pro-
vide only \$2,000,000.
He said the Premier in the agree-
ment, which provides for tender
being opened in the presence of a
company representative and the Min-
ister of Public Works should be re-
sponsible for the loan. All tenders
should be opened in the presence of
the time and printer's ink used in
boosting this enterprise and demanding
all other projects."

Engineers had not shown that the
plans of the present bridge were not
in accordance with the survey
done by Premier Pattullo to show him
that they were not. Mr. Bruhn be-
lieved it would be a better plan to
reconstruct the bridge on the present
plans.

"They are practically as good as
when the bridge was first con-
sidered," he continued, quoting a
letter from an engineer whom he
said was prominent in his profession
in Canada and had much to do with
the original construction of the
bridge. The letter stated that the
structure could be rebuilt on its
present foundation and would serve
satisfactorily for another sixty-five
years.

"The expensive part of a new bridge
would be the foundation, and here we
are going to build a new bridge to
satisfy certain interests," he said.
Mr. Bruhn stated he had the as-
surance that the steel taken from the
present bridge could be used in a new
bridge at Ladner, and further, that
the cost of both bridges would not
be more than \$2,000,000.

CONSTANT OPPOSITION
"I do not believe there has been
any legislation introduced into this
House which has received such con-
stant opposition," he said. "Who are
the interests that are demanding this
bridge? Who owns the adjoining
property?" he questioned.

"The whole plan of reconstructing
the present span and erecting a new
one at Ladner would be carried out
at less cost than the cost of the
old new bridge."

The member could not believe the
Premier's statements during the morn-
ing discussion that the new bridge
would increase tourist traffic. He
was certain, however, that \$2,000,000
spent on the road and highways of
the province would definitely promote
the influx of tourists.

VALLEY MUST PAY
Mr. Bruhn demanded that the toll
rates be written into the bill, saying
it would take \$10,000,000 in tolls to
retire the bridge bonds and pay the
interest to maturity. He estimated a
revenue of \$1,500 a day would be
needed.

People of the valley must pay that
sum, as only 6 per cent of the traffic
was from outside British Columbia
and 2 per cent from the interior. He
predicted there would be an
election demand to remove the tolls.

"Why, we have the C.C.F. here op-
posed to tolls and they are asking
themselves to remove them at the
election," said the ex-minister.
"Sure they remove them," shouted
a C.C.F. member.

"Furthermore," added Mr. Bruhn,
"they are elected if we have much
more of this kind of legislation."

PARTY POLITICS
He charged the structure was a
direct result of party politics and
claimed there were members of the

Refunding Bill Passes House

Prince Rupert Plan Validation Endorsed on Second Reading

Three shades of opinion on what constitutes a moral obligation were held before the Legislature when the Prince Rupert refunding bill was moved for second reading by Hon. A. Webb Gray, Minister of Municipal Affairs yesterday.

Mr. Gray said 60 per cent of the bondholders had agreed to the interest reduction involved, which was based on the city's ability to pay.

Honourable Anson, Victoria Conservative, said the bill involved repudiation as to the other 37 per cent and disputed the right of the Legislature to modify any contract which the city had a moral obligation to meet.

Mr. Gray denied there was any repudiation. Everybody had taken a cut, why not the bondholders? he asked.

"This Legislature may yet have to take even more drastic action," he said. "These are exceptional times. This bill is an arrangement between an honest debtor and an honest lender, which makes the principal more secure and gives the taxpayer a chance to save his money."

Ernest Bakewell, C.P.F. member for Mackenzie, said the civic employees of Prince Rupert had had to take a wage cut to save the city's finances. Some school teachers will still be two months in arrears on their pay.

"When we talk of moral obligations, how about the moral obligation to the school teachers?" he asked.

Tourist Praise And Criticism

"Peace and Quiet and Real Relaxation Chief Attraction." "Victoria Is Loveliest Place on Pacific Coast." "Should Be a Road Around the Island." "Golf." "Fishing." Tourists Say

Following are extracts from questionnaires sent out by the Victoria and Island Publicity Bureau seeking opinions and suggestions from summer tourists.

"We were attracted by your cool summer weather."

"Unable to have automobile washed or clothes pressed in hotel at night."

"After midnight could not find an auto camp that was open."

"What struck us was that those who were 'band up' did not grouse."

"We came because rowdy vacationists are not encountered."

"We come for several weeks each year because of the quiet atmosphere and good food in your hotels."

"We came for horseback riding, driving and much wonderful fishing."

"Peace and quiet and real relaxation chief attractions."

"Ideal cruising grounds, good harbor and very courteous and helpful officials."

"Golf."

"Victoria is the loveliest place on the Pacific Coast."

"Golf."

"We consider the wild flowers and gardens the leading charm of your island."

"Fine beaches and warm bathing."

"Golf and scenery. Played twice a day at Colwood."

"Warm swimming at Qualicum."

"We enjoyed lack of crowds at resorts, good Scotch whisky and English ale."

"Appreciated the climate, old-fashioned customs and hospitality of the people."

"Golf."

"I saw a beautiful country and want to come back."

"Fishing."

"As two women alone we did not like to stop at country hotels which had heated parlors, or whatever you call them."

"We were attracted by the English atmosphere of Victoria and the warm, helpful butlers and waiters."

"We came for the quietness of Victoria and the clean beaches of Oak Bay."

"I make the trip to Victoria twice a year to hear the English skylarks at the Uplands."

"Just the beautiful countryside and scenery. The most wonderful place in the world to relax in."

"We came to get away from the rush and to window shop where people are courteous whether you spend little or nothing at all."

"Hotel too noisy."

"Golf, fishing, motoring, sailing, walking in back everything."

"Victoria's friendliness and hospitality are reasons for our continued visits."

"We came for the boisterous on the C.P.R."

"General restfulness."

"Golf."

"There should be a road up and down the West Coast, or better still, a road around the island."

"Fishing."

"If I were to choose a place outside of Canada, it certainly would be Victoria."

"We had heard a good deal about Mr. Butcher's Gardens."

"Peace, quiet, courtesy, safety, picturesque drives, and serene tempo of living."

"Golf, cricket, motoring."

"All of it."

"The opportunity to be in the woods and along streams with a camera."

"Enjoyed the horseback but most enjoyed Victoria because it is Victoria and different."

Salt Spring

Ganges, March 20.—Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Bailey, "Mendel," North Salt Spring, entertained in honor of their youngest daughter, Sheila. The evening was spent in playing progressive whist, in which a number of innovations were introduced. First prize winners were Miss Edith Barrow and Mrs. J. W. Gannett, consolation prizes going to Mrs. L. M. Gannett and Cecil Springstead.

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—Blouses, Second Floor at "The Bay"



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A gala display of new Dresses. Pretty prints in floral, crosshatch or plaid designs. Hand-smocked ... white Peter Pan collars. Some have dainty buttons with bow in back. Sizes 1 to 6 years **1.50 and 1.95**

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LORELEY—In memory of a loving husband and father, William Alfred Loreley, who passed away March 18, 1935. "The Will Be Done".

—Daily missed by his wife, son and daughter.

Funeral service at 2 p.m. at St. John's Cathedral.

Burial in Mount Pleasant cemetery.

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Flowers by the family.

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West Bromwich Albions Gain Final In English Cup Football

THE SPORTS MIRROR

YOUNG TOM LAWRENCE says that the Crown is security on the more than \$100,000 he has invested in the Boston Red Sox in two years.

They gave the Washington club \$500,000 and shortly after the fact.

What makes Cronin a quarter million-dollar player-manager? Watching the Red Sox train out far from the circus watering grounds in Florida, and chatting with the players, one quickly learns to appreciate the aggressive Cronin's worth.

While Cronin was popular, all hands are pleased at the position of the pair who became known as the "Cronin-Cronin" duo.

There was considerable jostling on the Boston club last season. This Cronin has ended. The San Francisco franchise is a strict discipline, but is so flexible that nobody objects. He also no longer to do what he doesn't do himself. He observes training rules to the letter.

"A manager has to be an example," explains Cronin. "He doesn't know where his players are at all times, but you can bet that they know where he is."

Everybody in the Boston party expects Cronin to have his biggest year. He always was at his best at Fenway Park, playing phenomenal ball at shortstop and bunting hits off the short left field wall.

Al Schacht, veteran comedian-coach who accompanied Cronin from Senators to the Red Sox, insists that the difference in the Griffith Stadium and Fenway Park infield will work greatly to the advantage of Cronin. The Washington infield is hard, and consequently very speedy. Balls do not hop as fast in Boston, which will enable Cronin to get his good-sized hands on more of them.

Cronin trained faithfully all winter, intent on regaining his position as baseball's foremost shortstop.

He was adjudged the most valuable player in the American League after hitting 349 for the Senators in 1930. He hit .300 in '31, .315 in '32, .309 in '33, and .305 last season. He insists that he would have hit .300 in '34 had he not suffered a broken wrist on Labor Day.

Cronin's only fielding weakness two years ago. It was the handling of balls hit slowly and straight at him. He was inclined to rush too rapidly, and to hurry the throw.

Some shortstop can go one way and not the other. Cronin moves a long way in each direction. Cronin has the rifle arm required of an athlete fielding a ball in deep short. He throws from any position, and gets to reach the ball from anywhere near equal, pitching to 70 per cent of the game. Four good pitchers will make a master mind out of any manager.

Britain's fight against "broken time" payment to footballers competing in the Olympic Games, which was begun many years ago, has at last been decided.

The Olympic Committee at its last meeting at Oslo recently, decided to include association football among the events to be decided at the 1936 Olympic Games in Berlin, but no "broken time" payment will be tolerated.

The decision was taken after the International Football Federation had agreed that competing teams would be composed of players who would receive no compensation for time spent away from employment.

The last time Britain competed in the Olympic Games football tournament was at Stockholm in 1912. It was after that year the controversy arose over "broken time" payment, and Britain refused to compete in subsequent tournaments. Football was not included in the last Olympic Games, but at this proceeding Olympic games some of the continental nations were inclined to follow Great Britain's example and ignore the tournament.

Finland and Denmark recently expressed their willingness to compete in the next football tournament providing it was played by teams of amateurs. Assuming Denmark's readiness to compete, M. C. Ostrup, president of the Danish Football Association, said: "But the competition must be for amateurs proper. We do not want our amateurs competing with other amateurs. We refused to compete at the last two Olympics—Paris in 1924 and Amsterdam in 1928—for that reason."

GOSWICK TALK GOLF

Mrs. G. G. Gibbons was the clubhouse competition for women members, held at the George V Golf Club on Saturday and Sunday.

On Sunday, March 24, there will be a mixed tournament. Members will arrange their own partners and start at 10 a.m. on the 18th hole. A hole-in-one list, and members' meeting partners should telephone the secretary, 24651.

Shutout Bolton By Two Counters In Replay Clash

Two Errors By Finney, Wanderers' Back, Pave Way For Pair of Goals

Meet Sheffield Eleven in Final

Stoke, Eng., March 20.—West Bromwich Albion today defeated Bolton Wanderers 2 to 0 in a replayed semi-final for the English Soccer Cup. Albion will meet Sheffield Wednesday in the final at Wembley next month.

Albion and Wanderers battled to a 1 to 1 draw at Leeds last Saturday.

To-day's game was played in perfect weather with 40,000 present. Albion, replaced by Walker at centre-forward in the Bolton lineup Saturday, returned to his position.

COSTLY ERRORS

The second half produced no further scoring. The first half produced a goal for Albion, but it was nullified by a goal for Bolton.

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A'S BIG BOMBER BEHIND THE BAT



JAMES EMORY FOX, NEW 25, IS THE CHIEF LONG-DISTANCE BOMB AND HIT AND BEST OF THE A'S. HE WAS THE FIRST TO HIT A HOME RUN IN A SEASON.

Victor's basketball team will play the High School game to capacity on Friday night, when the Blue Blazes meet Victoria in the third of their provincial championship play-off games. A sell-out was reported early to-day for the clash which will determine the team to take the lead in the series in which they are now tied with one win apiece.

In the preliminary game at 5 o'clock, Beavers and Point Supply will meet in a Sunday-School League consolation fixture. The Beavers will start an hour later. The Blazes will have a fine cheer gang in the five club members who have bought a block of fifty seats for Friday and Saturday's games.

OUR MAIL BAG

EXTENDS THANKS

To the Sports Editor:—The committee of parents of Bowyer Boys' Band wish to express their thanks to the soccer fans at the game on Saturday last, at the Athletic Park, for the way they supported the boys by their contributions.

It shows they appreciated the boys' efforts, and we think they will be pleased to play again on some future occasion. The collection amounted to \$20.00, and will be used to pay for music and other expenses in connection with the band's entry in the Victoria Musical Festival.

A. ATTWELL

STEELE DRAWS WITH LONDOS

Californian Gives Game Display in Bout With Heavyweight Mat Champion

Minneapolis, March 20.—Wrestling through the last few minutes of a one-hour bout with his arm dangling helplessly at his side, Ray Steele, Glendale, Cal., gained a draw in his heavyweight championship match with Jim London, titleholder, yesterday evening.

Before a record house of 10,000 spectators, Steele outclassed London for fifteen minutes, keeping the champion groggy with flying headlocks, but as he rubbed in to finish him, the Greek pitched the Californian through the ropes.

Steele damaged the ligaments in his left shoulder as he landed. He climbed back into the ring, managing to evade the champion's attempts to close in on him by springing around the ring for the last four minutes of the hour.

Rochon Cup Match Scheduled To-night

Two strong teams representing the Pro Patria and Army and Navy No. 1 squads in the C section of the Inter-service Billiard League will meet this evening at the Pro Patria headquarters for the first match of the Rochon Cup play-offs.

The return match will be played next Wednesday at the Army and Navy No. 1 team's table.

Dave Croft, Britannia branch, and Bowyer Turner, Veterans of Peace, will act as referees this evening.

Toronto, Maroons And Chicago Win

Final National Hockey League Schedule; Lorne Chabot, Chicago Goalie, Wins Georges Vezina Trophy For Having Fewest Goals Scored Against Him

Another schedule in the long history of the National Hockey League was complete to-day as the six teams that survived four months of hockey went on to the playoffs starting this week-end.

In the long grid that started November 8 and saw each team contest forty-eight games, only New York Americans, St. Louis Eagles and Detroit Red Wings were eliminated.

Games in Toronto, Montreal and Boston yesterday evening closed the 1934-35 schedule. None of them meant a thing, as all playoff teams had been clinched, but the plans went through the motions with enough spirit to provide interesting contests.

At Toronto's Bell Gardens, St. Louis Eagles 5 to 3, Chicago beat Canadians 4 to 3 at Montreal and Maroons defeated Boston 4 to 3 at Boston.

Leads went into the finale with Eagles with the lead of giving George Hainsworth a shutout so he could tie Alex Connell, Maroons, for top in that department and to help Harvey Jackson gain second place to Charlie Conacher in scoring points.

BOTH FAULTIES

They failed in both undertakings, Osa Oumundson, Vic Ripley and Carl Voss leading Hainsworth and Jackson, failing to appear in the summary.

Conacher won the scoring race with thirty-six goals and twenty-one assists for a total of fifty-seven. Syd Howe, Detroit, was second with thirty-eight goals and twenty-one assists, thirty with forty-five, and Jackson and Frank Brimacombe fourth with forty-four.

Leaf fans also fell down in making another record. Of 7,127 of them that attended yesterday evening's game a new season attendance record for the N.H.L. in Canada would have been made, but they fell 500 short of tying the mark.

Leaf's last three goals in the first period through Conacher, Harold Cotton and Pop Kelly, and rapped in two more late in the third. Cotton scoring again, and Frankie Finnigan getting the fifth.

Lorne Chabot, Chicago goalie, won the Georges Vezina Trophy when he led the team in goals against him, against him, compared to thirty-two against Connell, his closest opponent for the honor.

Third period goals by Louis Trudel and Howie Moren broke a 3 to 2 tie to give Hawks the game. Paul Thompson and Doc Brown had scored for Chicago, and Trudel had scored for Hawks. Lorne Chabot had scored for Chicago, and Trudel had scored for Hawks.

MAY POSTPONE RACE CLASSIC

\$25,000 Handicap at Bay Meadows Saturday Likely to Be Set Back

San Mateo, Calif., March 20.—With Top Row on the sick list, Ascar in poor condition, and Mate scratched from the entries by a last-minute decision by his owner, a groom fell over Track Manager Bill Kye yesterday, and he announced he may be forced to postpone the Bay Meadows \$25,000 Handicap set for Saturday.

Kye said unless six solid contenders are ready to race the carrier he will put off the classic until April 6. Although he is responding readily to treatment, Top Row came out of winning the St. Charles Day stakes with a slightly filled leg. Question as to whether Top Row would be in shape for Saturday's race, was raised by the rail birds.

Heat Flap, always a favorite on a muddy track, sat in his stall and prayed for rain yesterday, setting the stage for a classic under the clouds.

Pete Postwick's great handicap horse, Mate, was scheduled to arrive here yesterday from Santa Anita, but at the last minute he decided to ship the horse to New York.

Ladyman and Time Supply remained in their stalls and took things easy yesterday.

Open K.O. Soccer Series on Friday

In the first game of the newly-formed knockout soccer competition for the high schools of Greater Victoria, in which teams from Beaufort High School, Mount View High School, Oak Bay High School and Victoria High School will take part, the local institution will send out its "C" team to meet the Beaufort aggregation on Friday on their own ground. The kick-off is scheduled for 4 o'clock.

Victoria High School being by far the largest institution participating in this league is entering three squads which will be known as "A," "B" and "C."

Couch Cumberbatch having plenty of good material from which to select these squads at Victoria High School has chosen the following to carry the black and gold colors in Friday's game: Goal, Pricker; backs, Leason and Blum; half-backs, Berry, Walters and Rott; forwards, Rigg, Leason, Coder, Howe and Minnie.

New Haven, Conn.—Gander Shabo, 21, Haverhill, Mass., was disqualified second fall after Shabo won first.

Twin Falls, Idaho—J. Dorn, 210, Salt Lake City, beat Duke Kan, 210, New York, straight sets.

Spokane, Wash.—John Strohman, 275, Ponce City, Ohio, beat Ray Desjardins, 245, Milan, Italy, two out of three sets.

CITY TO PRACTICE

A special workout of the Victoria City first division football team will be held this evening at 7:30 o'clock, at the Athletic Park. All players are asked to turn out.

BOND ISSUES FIRM, QUIET

INDUSTRIALS DRIFT LOWER

Canadian Press
Toronto, March 29.—The Industrial section of the Toronto Exchange distributed along to a lower closing today, with the exception of the lead on the oil-down. Successive up to half a point came out of the liquor stocks. Foods, steels and autos were steady. Only the oils and metals held firm.

The turnover was distinctly slim and the halt on operations was attributed to a desire to await news from Ottawa regarding the budget. Ford A weakened ½ and C.P.S. the same amount. In foreign stocks, the London market was a bit better. Vancouver National Grocers, Laura Secord, Loblaw A and Canada Packers.

Stock of Canada and Dominion saw a slight rise in farm prices. In the steels, gains in these issues offsetting losses for Pressed Metals and National Steel Corp. Impairments were noted in the oil stocks and Brewster Ford Cordage falling back.

(By A. E. Ames & Co.)		
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Well Telephone	130 1/2	131 1/2
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A. A. Oil	5 1/2	6 1/2
Oil	5 1/2	6 1/2
Do. pfd	8 1/2	9 1/2
Canadian Pacific	130 1/2	131 1/2
Do. pfd	27 1/2	28 1/2
Purd A.	5 1/2	6 1/2
Oxygon, Lime and Ash	12 1/2	13 1/2
Imperial Tobacco	12 1/2	13 1/2
Inter Petroleum	29 1/2	30 1/2
Do. pfd	29 1/2	30 1/2
Montreal Power com	29 1/2	30 1/2
Shawmut W. and P.	100 1/2	101 1/2
Do. pfd	100 1/2	101 1/2
Royal Bank	100 1/2	101 1/2

BID ON MED

BAR SILVER
 London, March 29.—Bar silver, easy
 2/18 lower at 37½d.
 New York, March 29.—Bar silver, steady
 unchanged at 55½.

Stronger Trading

land Board

Morning Star 500 at 37%, 3,000 at 37%
 National Silver 5,000 at 34%
 Pioneer 50 at 2.5%, 100 at 2.5%
 Premium Gold 100 at 1.5%, 700 at 1.5%
 Reno 500 at 1.5%
 Sully 1,500 at .45%
 Salmon 500 at 15%, 2,500 at 15%, 1,000 at 15%
 Taylor Bridge 500 at 20%
 Vanilla 1,000 at 10%
 Wardside 500 at 15%, 1,200 at 10%

Beaver Silver - 1,000 at 85%.
 B.C. Nickel - 500 at 42.
 Big Missouri - 1,300 at 44.000 at 65%
 50 at 45. 1,000 at 43. 250 at 40.
 Dictator - 500 at 55. 1,000 at 55%.
 Dentonia - 1,000 at 77. 500 at 78.
 Dunwell - 500 at 11.
 Fairview A. - 2,000 at 10. 100 at 10%.
 Fawn - 500 at 42.
 Grange - 2,500 at 14.
 Grail Wabeno - 1,000 at 50.
 50 at 42.

Home—500 at 10.
 Minto—3,500 at 16½, 4,000 at 17, 1,000
 at 17½, 1,500 at 18.
 Noble Five—500 at 57½, 2,000 at 57½
 500 at 58.
 Porter Idaho—500 at 59½, 500 at 59½.
 Sheep Creek—700 at 1.05.
 SilverSmith—4,500 at .80.
 United Empire—500 at 50½.
 Vindicator—3,100 at 31, 600 at 31½, 300
 at 32, 200 at 34.

NEW YORK METALS

New York, March 26—Copper, quiet electrolytic, spot and future. Blue Seal 9.06. Tin, steady; spot and nearby, 45.50. Cadmium, 45.50. Zinc, quiet, unchanged.

LONDON MARKET

the unsettled foreign exchange market at the uncertain political outlook. Oil-edge securities and industrial improvement on purchases but eased later. Aviation shares were steady. The closing was dull.

BAR GOLD

U.S. DOLLAR IN LONDON

DOMINION COAL.
Montreal, March 20 (Canadian Press).—Dominion Coal Company reports 1934 operating profits at \$540,347, against \$1,402,178 in 1933.

ITALY IS GIVING

FRANCE SUPPORT

Rome, March 28.—Italy will officially support France in her protest to the League of Nations over Germany's rearmament. It was understood here to-night.

OTAWA, March 29 (Canadian Press).—From August 1, 1930, to the present, Canadian government departments have paid \$22,972.75 to proprietors of Canada and Canada Weekly, publications issued in London, England, the House of Commons.

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**Wheat Pool Payment
Made at High Level**

Canadian Press
Regina; March 26.—A first interim payment of 15 cents a bushel has been declared on all grades of wheat delivered to the 1931-35 seasonal pool operated by the Saskatchewan Wheat Pool. This brings the initial payment on future deliveries to the seasonal pool up to 65 cents a bushel basis No. 1 northern, Fort William, the highest figure at which the in-

Final payment has been made for several sections.

Checks are now being mailed to powers concerned; the amount involved in the present distribution being approximately \$250,000.

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New York, March 26.—Belgium ap-
peared to have brought dealings in
the Belgis under rigid control to-day,
and gold bloc money generally stiff-
ened on the foreign exchange market
here.

Although the French franc was
under some selling pressure in Lon-
don, the franc later improved here.

Pacific Railway; the Cadillac Com-
pany, with a mine at Coalhurst, a
the collieries of the Esposito Oil &
Share Company at Coalhurst, T.
Sir Mortimer Davis Estate, Montreal
is interested in the Cadillac Com-
pany. The Lovett interests in
Montreal, own the Republic Oil
Corporation.

Last year the Espositos donated
coal field produced only 200,000 tons.

closing 20% of a cent higher at 6.50 cents.

The Beiga was unchanged at 25.30 cents.

The pound closed at \$4.76, for a loss of 15 cents.

The Canadian dollar was quoted at 1 1/2 per cent discount against 15-16 per cent yesterday.

compared with 750,000 tons mined immediately after the war. Mining in the district worked less than 10 days last month.

Plans of the new company call an intensive campaign to secure creamed markets; reduction of mine costs and assure more work for the Leithbridge miners.

GOLD OUTPUT

CALGARY LIVESTOCK

Ottawa, March 20 (Canadian Press).—An increase of more than 15,000 ounces was shown in production of gold in January, when the output totaled 240,000 ounces compared with 231,200 ounces in January, 1934, the Dominion Bureau of Statistics reports.

Ontario led the provinces with an output of 179,054 ounces, and Quebec

The average price of gold in Canadian form in January was \$354.95 per ounce. Valued at this price, the Canadian output was worth \$6,767,564.

TORONTO PRODUCE

Toronto, March 22. — Wholesale produce prices:

Imports:

Eggs—Grade A large, dozen, 18c.
Churning cream—No. 1, 1 lb. tin, 25c.
Butter—No. 1 milk, 1 lb., 22 1/2c.

Prices issued yesterday even showed operating profits of \$1,000 compared with losses of \$2,000. There was a total deficit for year of \$2,524,100 which under proposed reorganization will be turned in capital surplus.

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